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NOTE VERBALE DATED 19 JULY 1994 FROM THE SECRETARY-GENERAL ADDRESSED TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SECURITY COUNCIL

The Secretary-General of the United Nations presents his compliments to the President of the Security Council and, in accordance with paragraph 8 of Security Council resolution 816 (1993), has the honour to bring to his attention further information received by the United Nations Protection Force (UNPROFOR) regarding apparent violations of the ban on flights in the airspace of Bosnia and Herzegovina.

Between 15 and 17 July 1994, there appear to have been seven flights of fixed- or rotary-wing aircraft in the airspace of Bosnia and Herzegovina other than those exempted in accordance with paragraph 1 of resolution 816 (1993) or approved by UNPROFOR in accordance with paragraph 2 of that resolution. Details as to the itinerary of flights in this reporting period are attached as an annex to the present note verbale.

The total number of flights assessed as apparent violations is now 1,798.

Annex

Information on flights in the airspace of Bosnia and Herzegovina not authorized by the United Nations Protection Force

(15-17 July 1994)

Serial No.	Date	Start	End	Remarks	Heading Altitude Speed
1814	15 July	0902	0902	A United Nations helicopter made visual contact with an MI8 helicopter 25 kilometres south-west of Zenica. The unauthorized flight of this helicopter took place in an area controlled by the Government of Bosnia and Herzegovina.	South-west Low Unknown
1815	15 July	1312	1325	North Atlantic Treaty Organization (NATO) fighter aircraft made radar and visual contact on a white MI8 helicopter with blue stripes and a red cross 10 kilometres west of Mostar. Warnings were given but the helicopter continued to Posusje and landed on a soccer field next to another HIP. The unauthorized flight of this helicopter took place in an area controlled by Bosnian Croats.	North-west 500 feet 90 knots
1816	15 July	1432	1433	UNPROFOR personnel observed a light propeller aircraft 5 kilometres south-east of Maglaj. The unauthorized flight of this aircraft took place in an area controlled by the Government of Bosnia and Herzegovina.	South Low Slow
1817	16 July	1605	1606	UNPROFOR personnel observed an MI8 helicopter landing at Zenica. The unauthorized flight of this helicopter took place in an area controlled by the Government of Bosnia and Herzegovina.	Unknown Unknown Unknown
1818	17 July	0819	0820	UNPROFOR personnel observed a white/blue MI8 helicopter with a red cross landing 30 kilometres north of Zenica. The unauthorized flight of this helicopter took place in an area controlled by Bosnian Croats.	North Low Slow
1819	17 July	0935	0936	UNPROFOR personnel observed a white MI8 helicopter with blue stripes and a red cross taking off from Zenica. The unauthorized flight of this helicopter took place in an area controlled by the Government of Bosnia and Herzegovina.	South-west Low Slow
1820	17 July	1203	1209	NATO fighter aircraft made visual and radar contact on an MI8 taking off 15 kilometres east of Posusje, heading west. The helicopter landed in Posusje. The unauthorized flight of this helicopter took place in an area controlled by Bosnian Croats.	West Low Slow